



# FOOD & BEVERAGE CART PERMIT INFORMATION

Food carts, referred to as Temporary Use Mobile Sales, are permitted on private property in the City of Beaverton provided certain development standards are met, appropriate permits are issued, and zoning restrictions are followed.

*"We are conducting a Food Cart Feasibility Study to explore various options related to economic development and land use that could potentially expand mobile food vending in Beaverton while minimizing negative impacts to and ensuring the safety of pedestrian and vehicular traffic."*

*— Alma Flores, Economic Development Manager*



*An application for Temporary Mobile Sales shall be required when the following threshold applies: the sale of plants, flowers, books, crafts, **beverages, food**, and other similar items in a single location for a period that is greater than one hour and less than seven (7) hours per day. [ORD 4513; August 2009]*

## APPROVAL CRITERIA FOR TEMPORARY MOBILE SALES (TMS)

In order to receive approval for a Temporary Mobile Sales application, applicants must demonstrate that the following criteria are satisfied in their proposal:

- Satisfies threshold requirements for a TMS application
- Application fees have been submitted
- Contains all submittal requirements
- Is located entirely within private property in a Commercial, Industrial, or Multiple Use zoning district
- Written consent of property owner
- Written permission from the City if proposal is located on a public right-of-way within any of the Regional Center or Town Center zoning districts
- Poses no threat to public safety
- Complies with all applicable use restrictions of zone
- Does not involve a permanent building
- Does not obstruct or occupy minimum required parking spaces unless demonstrated that those spaces are not being used by permanent use located on subject site
- Maintain safe vehicle and pedestrian circulation
- A TMS has not been issued for the same site

For complete information about specific requirements and regulations for food carts operating within the City, please review Chapter 40 – Permits and Applications of the Development Code.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Economic Development Department  
Food Carts Program (503) 526-2631  
[www.BeavertonOregon.gov/FoodCarts](http://www.BeavertonOregon.gov/FoodCarts)

## THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL:

- Obtain a City of Beaverton Business License
- Obtain a Mobile Food Unit license from Washington County's Department of Health and Human Services Environmental Health Program
- All TMS activities shall be conducted at the particular location authorized
- Shall not have hours of operation exceeding seven (7) hours in twenty-four (24) hour period
- Signage consistent with Section 60.40.15.12 of Code
- Maintain copy of City approval during on-site operation
- Suitable and sufficient number of receptacles for disposal and removal of all trash generated during hours of operation
- Remove everything off site every day
- Tables and chairs available for customer seating – area not to exceed 8ft by 18ft with no obstruction of minimum parking spaces



## REGISTER YOUR BUSINESS

Every person or entity doing business in the City of Beaverton must possess a valid Business License from the Finance Department, as stated in Section 7.01 of the City of Beaverton Municipal Code. This code also applies to businesses located outside of Beaverton that perform business transactions or services in Beaverton.

## MAP OF CURRENT FOOD CART LOCATIONS IN BEAVERTON

